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GEOLOGY OF  
SMART RIVER AREA  
(NTS 104O/13)

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Scale 1:50 000

Universal Transverse Mercator Projection  
North American Datum 1983

Magnetic declination Jan 2000, 26° 52.5' E., decreasing 16.2 annually.

Centre of the map

Elevations in metres above mean sea level

LEGEND

POST ACCRETIONARY UNITS

	Quaternary
	Eocene
	LATE SYN - TO POST - ACCRETIONARY INTRUSIONS
	EARLY JURASSIC

	EEg	Hornblende granodiorite > hornblende diorite, quartz and biotite hornblende quartz monzonite and monzonite; circa 58 Ma
	EJqd	Hornblende diorite, quartz diorite, lesser biotite hornblende quartz monzonite and monzonite
	EJSg2	Non-foliated K-feldspar porphyritic, Simpson Peak granodiorite, quartz monzonite
	EJct	Foliated, syntectonic? Cocconino biotite-hornblende quartz diorite/tonalite

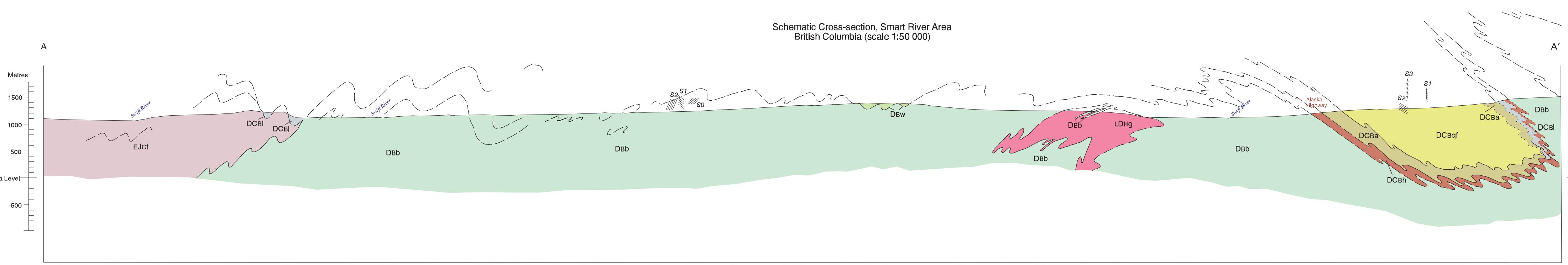
PRE-ACCRETIONARY UNITS

	BIG SALMON COMPLEX - PERICAROTANIC SEDIMENTS AND OVERLYING ARC COMPLEX
	PRE-DEVONIAN TO CARBONIFEROUS
	DCB: Strongly deformed granitoid gneiss; includes 354 Ma Logjam intrusion
	DCB: Devonian - Carboniferous Big Salmon Complex (undivided)
	DCBq: Orthoquartzite with minor pelitic interlayers
	DCBv: Dacite and andesite tuff and marble
	DCBc: Polymictic conglomerate
	DCBI: Marble, limestone, dolomite
	DCBa: Carbonaceous schist and quartzite, blue quartz granule conglomerate
	DCBh: Crinkle chert, commonly containing piedmontite (manganiferous - epidote); traces of chlorite are common.
	DBw: Wacke in metabasite
	DBb: Metabasalt, tuff, tuffite; locally metagabbro or metadiorite as denoted by 'g'
	DCBqf: Quartzite, phyllite, biotite - muscovite - garnet schist, lesser tuff and marble
	LDHg: Mount Hazel granitoid gneiss; 362 Ma, may include felsic extrusive equivalents.
	SDqc: Impure quartzite and conglomerate (<422 Ma)
	SDql: Pale green-grey to white arenite with a calcareous matrix and abundant limey layers, very well laminated

SYMBOLS

	Bedding, tops unknown: inclined, vertical
	Bedding, tops known
	Bedding, overturned
	Foliation, generation unknown, vertical
	Foliation: inclined, 1st phase, 2nd phase, 3rd phase
	Foliation, vertical / 1st phase
	Fold, elongation
	Dyke, axial surface (no fabric)
	Lithation; 1st phase, 2nd phase, 3rd phase
	Cleavage elongation
	Fault: unspecified, 1st phase, 2nd, 3rd, 4th
	Crenulation cleavage intersection lineation; (in 1st phase, 2nd phase, 3rd phase folds)
	Mineral lineation: horizontal, plunging
	Fault Plane
	Jointing: inclined, vertical
	Shear band cleavage, dextral, sinistral, top up, top down, unspecified
	Axial cleavage, 2nd phase fold, 3rd phase fold: inclined, vertical
	Vein
	Geological contact: defined, approximate, assumed
	Outcrop with observations
	Normal Fault: defined, approximate, inferred
	Folds: overturned synform, overturned antiform, phase noted if known
	Folds: antiform, synform, phase noted if known
	Facies boundary
	Topographic contour (20m, 100m interval)
	Esker (flow unknown, known)
	Isotope age sample site, U-Pb zircon (age in Ma)

Schematic Cross-section, Smart River Area  
British Columbia (scale 1:50 000)



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Mineral Occurrences

Name	Status	Commodities
Logtung	Developed prospect	1 Mo, W, Bi, Cu, Be, F
105001	Showing	2 Cu, Ag, Zn, Au
103804	Showing	3 Cu, Co, As, W
105803	OF 2001-4	4 Cu
101N16	OF 2000-8	5 Cu
104013	OF 2001-6	6 Cu, Zn, Ag, Co, Cd, Bi
OF 2001-5		
104011		
Arsenault	Prospect	7 Cu
Arsenault - East	Showing	8 Cu, Zn, Ag, Co, Cd, Bi
104012		
104011		

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